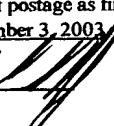


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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of **June 12, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

An attachment of copies of pages 3-4 of the originally filed Specification encompassing the "Summary of Invention" as well as a copy of the return receipt postcard showing receipt of same by the USPTO with the originally filed application is attached at the request of the Examiner.

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